

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK
ENDED THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1935.

A total of 8 attacks with 9 deaths from Plague was reported during the week against 7 attacks with 6 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1934 and 1933 were 66 attacks with 44 deaths and 122 attacks with 71 deaths, respectively.

A total of (108) one hundred and eight attacks with 21 deaths from Small-pox were reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Narasimharajpur, Kolar, Chikballapur, Shikarpur, Sorab, Kortagere and Turuvekere Taluks; two villages from each of Bagepalli and Malur Taluks; four villages from Mulbagal Taluk; five villages from each of Chintamani and Tiptur Taluks; nine villages from Srinivasapur Taluk and from Chikmagalur, Sagar and Tumkur Towns and from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Fifty-eight attacks with 33 deaths from Cholera were reported from two villages in Hiriyur Taluk and from seven villages in Chellakere Taluk.

A fatal case from Influenza was reported from Mysore City.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 117, representing a calculated death-rate of 31.06 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 26.49 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Typhoid, 10 under other Fevers, 7 under Phthisis, 19 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 79 under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 67 deaths representing a calculated death-rate of 24.75 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 32.12 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 8, Typhoid 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 7, and all other causes 49.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 59, representing a calculated death-rate of 26.16 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 22.62 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 5, other Fevers 3, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 13, and all other causes 34.

There were 45 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 28.00 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 35.80 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Malaria, 3 under other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 4 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 35 under all other causes.

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